

Lack Of Training Is Not Valid Reason For Exemption

Captain Prosser Of Independent Military Company Offers Free Instruction To All Clearfield Men

BE PREPARED WHEN YOUR CALL COMES

All men of military age and particularly those within the selective conscription age limit in Clearfield are afforded the opportunity of becoming acquainted with the manual of arms and securing a measure of training that will be of almost incalculable value to them when they are finally chosen for military duty when Uncle Sam makes up his list following the draft, by the generous offer of Captain Frederick Prosser of the Independent Military Company.

Captain Prosser is not only a qualified instructor by recently passed the examination for a second lieutenant's commission in the army and those placing themselves under his instruction will receive the same training as would be given them at a regular training camp or by a regular officer.

Captain Prosser is not only a qualified instructor but recently able in his training corps and every young man, whether he expects to be in the first call or not should accept this proposition and turn out for drill.

Over in the neighboring town of Indiana there are five different companies of men training. These nearly all of the business men have enlisted for training and while many of them do not expect to be called to the colors at the same time they feel the need of some measure of training and are enthusiastically at it two nights in the week.

The same condition should maintain here and every man between the ages

of 18 and 45 should turn out to these weekly drills and familiarize themselves with military tactics and training in order that if the call should come later on they would, in a measure, at least, be prepared.

Let our laboring men, merchants, lawyers, doctors, bankers, clerks and all who come within the ages mentioned get in touch with Capt. Prosser and take up training at once. It won't hurt you in any event and may be vitally necessary to you later on.

State Institute Of Farmers At DuBois An Interesting Affair

State Board of Agriculture Join With County Farmers In Discussion of Important Subjects

Criticism of the railroad, for not providing ample transportation facilities to help the farmers secure their agricultural machinery, seeds and fertilizers was brought forward at the meeting of the State Board of Agriculture which opened yesterday. Several members of the State Board charged that the railroads had done more to retard the production of maximum crops than any other agency.

Over one hundred progressive farmers representing every county of the state are attending the three day session of the State Board of Agriculture and the Farmer's Annual Normal Institute at DuBois. Farm labor, cold storage, food speculation and other topics of vital importance to the farmers at this time were widely discussed yesterday. The farmers were unanimous in the opinion that the present system of details in agricultural work must be adjusted to meet the conditions of the times.

Loris Piolet, of Bradford county, who presided at the meeting, stated that the farmer today was being brought into more prominence than ever before. He said that the granaries of the country are depleted by food speculators and that the farmers are not getting the high prices which have been forced upon the people by the food speculators. He expressed the hope that Congress would pass stronger laws to stop gambling in food products.

It was brought out at the meeting that thousands of farmers were compelled this Spring to put out their crops without getting fertilizers and that the failure of the railroads to make shipments of both fertilizers and seeds had greatly handicapped the production of the greatest food supply the state has ever known. W. Theo. Wittman brought up a recent ruling of express companies declaring that one dozen eggs is the normal breakage in the shipment of a crate of eggs and allowing no refund for such damages or shortage. He also said that it was practically impossible for egg shippers to get empty crates returned by express companies. Secretary of Agriculture Charles E. Patton told of an agreement with the railroads and with the National Government authorities to see that all agricultural products were given special consideration by the railroads and he asked that specific complaints be made to the Department of Agriculture at Harrisburg and that immediate attention would be given to help brought to the farmers.

Comments were made by members that every effort be made by State Board members to urge farmers to raise the calves and also to raise more pigs. The problem of labor was discussed at length and the merits and demerits of the high school and college boys on the farms brought forth varied opinions, but a general conclusion that this labor extended by the cities to the farmers in their time of need could be utilized to splendid advantage with patience and teaching.

W. Theo. Wittman declared that the cold storage helped the consumer and also the farmer in that it kept prices of eggs and poultry at a fair price during the spring when the production was largest and also helped to keep down the price for the consumer in the winter when there were fewer fresh eggs on the market. He declared emphatically in favor of the eight months storage period for eggs.

The labor question was also discussed by Mrs. Hanna McK. Lyons, E. B. Dorsett, J. Aldus Herr, George F. Barnes and others and the general sentiment was expressed that the labor problem will never be satisfactorily solved until the farmer receives enough for his farm products to make an hour's labor on the farm worth as much as in any other line of industry. A better system of distribution of farm products was urged in order to cut down the increase in price made by the middle man who stands between the farmer and the ultimate consumer.

Secretary of Agriculture Charles E. Patton explained the features of the important bills concerning the agricultural interests of the state now before the Legislature. The Lohr dog law was warmly endorsed and a session tomorrow will be devoted to studying and endorsing other measures now before the Legislature, especially the bills dealing in the present law governing the Commission of Agriculture.

OFF FOR FORT SLOCUM

Ferd Mignot, Harry Davis and Harry Delaney left at 2 o'clock this afternoon in Mr. Mignot's car for DuBois where they took the train this evening for Fort Slocum, New York. This trio of Clearfield young men went to DuBois last week and took the preliminary examination for enlistment in the U. S. army and go to Fort Slocum with the intention of enrolling in the hospital ambulance corps. Messrs. Mignot and Davis are expert drivers and mechanics and "Red" expects to qualify.

Local Public Safety Committee Meeting

Organization Effected and Monthly Meeting Agreed Upon For War's Duration

The Committee on Public Safety recently appointed by Governor Brumbaugh for Clearfield county met in the Arbitration Room at Clearfield on Tuesday the 22nd pursuant to the call of State Committeeman G. A. Lukehart. Of the thirty members on the total committee all but six were present.

The Committee organized by adopting the name of Clearfield County Committee of Public Safety and fixed the fourth Tuesday of each month as the regular time of meeting. The general plan of the State Committee for organization was adopted.

Captain A. H. Woodward, Clearfield, was elected chairman of the committee, H. B. Swoope, Madera, Pa., Vice President, James Mitchell, Clearfield, Treasurer and John M. Bam, Clearfield, Secretary. An executive committee composed of Charles A. Strong, Ansonville, Peter Gearhart, Clearfield, Hon. G. M. Alcorn, DuBois, H. B. Somerville, Winburne, and J. B. Connor, Duinside, was elected to serve in conjunction with the members of the state committee: M. A. Caldwell, Curwensville, G. A. Lukehart, DuBois, James Mitchell, Clearfield, Dr. J. G. L. Myers, Osceola Mills and Henry B. Swoope, Madera. Of the Executive committee G. A. Lukehart was selected chairman.

A number of interesting talks were made by persons present, along the line of what would be most effective to aid the county, state and nation in the months of war which are before the nation. The general opinion of those speaking was to the effect that the first and most important thing to do was to urge the extreme limit of planting, and at the same time to take up and devise some means of assisting the agriculturist in obtaining both seed and material.

Peter Gearhart, who is also president of the County Agricultural association, expressed it as his opinion that the planting of potatoes and vegetables has been fairly well taken care of by the increased acreage planted by the small grower and those who in the past have not been using their land at all. The wheat crop does not promise well in this locality. An abundance of corn should be planted. Beans are a good crop, though the seed is scarce and high, and the one last and best opportunity, when all else has been done is to utilize every possible acre for buckwheat. The buckwheat crop last year was far short of the demand. Mr. Gearhart stated that every additional bushel of buckwheat raised would release two-thirds of a bushel of wheat for the army and the allies.

It is the aim of this committee to serve the people in any and every way within their power, to act as a medium of exchange between the government and the people in so far as the securing of assistance of all kinds is concerned, the obtaining of data and information of a diversified character. Any person in any part of the county—and every person in every part of the county has a fact—should feel free to take up either in person or by letter any matter in which they are interested and in which the committee can be of service. The committee is organized so that every part of the county is represented. The office address of the Committee will be Clearfield.

MAY DAY ENTERTAINMENT

The Third Ward school gave a beautiful May Day entertainment yesterday afternoon on the school grounds.

A Maypole was the chief feature of the afternoon and was a most lovely sight to see the children dressed in their gayest colors winding up the Maypole. Miss Elizabeth Chase was a most charming May queen with all her attendants. There was also plenty of folk dancing.

About one hundred and twenty-five parents and patrons of the school enjoyed the entertainment and congratulated the teachers on the splendid way in which the program was carried out and their patience during the training of the children.

CURWENSVILLE BOY COMMISSIONED

Harry E. Bilger a former Curwensville boy, and brother of Mrs. Walter Welch, who is now located in Springfield, Illinois where he holds a position as engineer in the State Road department was last week given a commission as captain of reserves in the U. S. Engineer corps and is subject to call for duty at any time.

BULLETIN

At 4 P. M. the U. M. W. of A. convention at DuBois has taken no official action. W. B. Wilson, of Washington, D. C., is present.

When He Gets Mad He Wants To Fight

Clearfield Boy Can't Wait For Second Call Joins Engineers

Julian Chase, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chase of Locust street, one of efficient clerks in Brown's Boot Shop wants it understood that when he gets mad enough to want to fight, he wants to fight, and that's all there is to it, and if the best way to get into a fight is to join the army he wants to do that too. Accordingly when the call was issued for volunteers for the officers training camps throughout the nation young Chase promptly responded and going over to State College took the examination for admission to the training corps and came home to await a call to duty.

When the call was issued he failed to be one of the lucky ones in class A and was requested to await the second call about August 1st.

He was bound to help his Uncle Sammy out of his present difficulty somehow and did not approve of the delay in getting action on his money, so on Sunday last he hustled down to New York City and made application for enlistment in one of the regiments of engineers that is being recruited for early service in France, passed successfully and came back home last night to arrange his affairs preparatory to a call for service the first of next week.

These engineers will be called for a two months training course at either Fort Totten or Great Neck, Long Island preparatory for work in France. Mr. Chase has had several years engineering experience.

ARMY Y. M. C. A. WORK

The Y. M. C. A. On The Border
The editor of the Chicago Tribune commends the association for its work on the border in the following words:

"In the not of red tape, inefficiency and disorder incident to the mobilization of the national guard last summer there was just one bright spot, the Y. M. C. A."

"While the government was unable to obtain even wood for its hospitals and while the Red Cross was making a loud noise but accomplishing nothing, the Y. M. C. A. unostentatiously built its reading rooms in every camp furnished adequate secretaries, and brought to the men an opportunity for innocent amusement that did much in preserving the high moral standard of the soldier."

"Every branch of our military establishment, the Red Cross included, must be revolutionized before we can carry on successfully military affairs. The Y. M. C. A. alone is fully prepared to do its work."

WINBURNE LADY DEAD

Mrs. George Butler, of Winburne, was found dead yesterday about 3 p. m. by a neighbor lady. Mrs. Butler had not been in the best of health for about a week but there was no alarm as to her condition. Her son was in to see her yesterday morning before he came to Clearfield and she appeared to be in good spirits. When found she was fully attired, but lying down on her bed, which gives rise to the belief that she died after lying down for an afternoon sleep. Mrs. Butler was a daughter of the late Samuel Barger and was born and raised in Clearfield. J. Milton Barger of this city is a brother of the deceased.

BICYCLE RIDER DAMAGED

Fred Shugart, one of Postmaster Barclay's force of employees, is housed up at his home in Boggs township as the result of a collision with a motorcycle near Woodland on Monday evening. Young Shugart was on his way home riding his bicycle when a motorcycle crashed into him and bounced him off the road into the ditch. Born bicycle and rider were pretty badly used up and it will be a day or two yet before the young man will be back on duty. Dr. Shugart of Woodland made the necessary personal repairs.

GIVEN BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Miss Grace Connelly was treated to a pleasant birthday surprise at her home on Cherry street last evening. The evening was spent in dancing and games and delicious refreshments were served. About twelve couples were present.

Advertise in the Progress

Boston Clairvoyant Solves The Mystery

Second Sight Seer Says Little Arthur Caldwell Was Kidnapped by Dark Man

Some people have been wont to surround the disappearance of the little Caldwell boy at Rockton on May 9th last with an air of mystery, and as a fortune teller or two has already been asked to solve the problem, we give the following story for what it is worth:

Word of the mysterious disappearance of little Arthur Caldwell at Rockton has traveled a long way according to information received at the court house this morning Mrs. John Hancock, of Spruce street called the commissioners office this morning and read a letter which she received yesterday concerning the boy's disappearance. Mrs. Hancock said this letter was received from her sister who lives somewhere in Ohio and the sister stated that a Boston clairvoyant wrote her concerning the Rockton happening and in her letter described the Caldwell boy and said she could see him at the bank of a small stream in the woods throwing stones in the water; that she saw a dark man (presumably a foreigner) approaching and taking the child by the hand lead him across the water, stepping from stone to stone, and then taking him along a road which wound up and around a hill, deposited him in a cave near the top, where he has since been kept under guard by this same dark man.

We were unable to get the letter for publication and detail this much of the story as it was told us by the person who received the tale from Mrs. Hancock, who is interested in having the missing lad located.

WHAT DOES EUROPE THINK OF THE Y. M. C. A.?

The only bright spot in the war zones of Europe, Asia and Africa is the Y. M. C. A.

The nations of Europe, at war, know that the association is an indispensable organization. They know it has a great deal to do with keeping the men fit, consequently contributing to the success of their armies and navies. Great Britain feels the need of the association as is shown by the increase of her contribution from a paltry sum to \$5,000,000. The other nations have followed Great Britain's example and are standing behind her movement.

Among the 5,000,000 soldiers in prison camps hundreds of thousands of these are boys between the ages of 12 and 20 years.

For the United States army of 1,000,000 men will be required.

200 wooden association buildings.

1,000 experienced association secretaries.

200 pianos and piano players.

200 moving picture machines.

268,000 feet of film a day.

200 graphophones and 10,000 records.

3,000,000 sheets of writing paper daily.

40,000 pounds of ice per day.

10,000 pens per day and barrels of ink.

A Bible to every man.

95 automobiles and trucks.

Magazines by the hundred tons.

The \$3,000,000 the association is planning to raise by the 1st of June will help to pay for these things. Will you do your "bit"?

TRINITY METHODIST JUNIORS ELECT OFFICERS

Trinity Methodist church has an enthusiastic group of boys and girls who have been organized into a Junior League. The recently elected officers are:

President—Frances Stewart.

Vice Presidents—Eileen Smith, Frances Lynn, Verne Pooler, Lulu Tobias.

Secretary—Gladys Coyer.

Treasurer—Blaine James.

Pianist—Dorothy Dimeling.

Assistant Pianist—Hele Phillips.

The meetings are held every Wednesday afternoon 4:15. The paper-entertainer is Miss Maude Pletcher.

NIVELLE EXTENDS OFFENSIVE

Paris, May 23.—General Nivelle's resumed offensive today extended the French line to Aulette and captured three German line trenches east of Chevaux and also advanced in the sector of Paulere and Californie. The French official statement detailed an offensive on the same front after three "violent attacks."

BRITISH FIGHTING LULLS

London, May 23.—Fighting was at a lull on the British front today. Field Marshall Haig reported heavy German bombardment of British positions.

U. S. Soon To Define Attitude Toward New Russian Slogan

Washington May 23.—The United States government plans before long to issue a formal statement on its attitude toward the Russian Soldier's and Workman's slogan "no annexation and no indemnities." This statement, while not revealed, will be similar to French Minister Ribot's statement yesterday in Paris. Though the state department has not given it out officially it will "sympathize" with Ribot's remarks.

This means, judging from Ribot's remarks that the United States wants the return of Alsace-Lorraine to France and restitution and indemnity for small nations including Belgium which Germany ruthlessly over-run. The American statement will be an individual expression of position although it will be in accordance with general ideas of the allies. This statement will probably be the most definite and conclusive announcement to date of America's war aims.

Hungarian Ministry Has Resigned After Period of Growing Unrest

Amsterdam, May 23.—Count Tisza's ministry has resigned according to Budapest dispatches received here today from the Central News.

Rumors have been current of growing unrest in Hungary. Count Tisza has been privy counsel and President of the council as the Hungarian cabinet is called since 1913.

Brazil Congress to Meet to Take Up Sinking of Their Steamship

Rio de Janeiro May 23.—The President of Brazil called a special meeting of Congress today to discuss the sinking, presumably by a German submarine, of the Brazilian steamship Ejupica. Public excitement is at the highest pitch and in view of this fact it is believed that the Brazilian government will change the severance of relations into a declaration of war.

WORLD WIDE WHEAT INCREASE

Washington, May 23.—A world wide increase in grain production to offset the serious food shortage of the past season was reported to the Agricultural department here today by the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome.

JOFFRE AND VIVIANI BACK HOME

Paris, May 23.—Marshal Joffre and Former Minister Viviani arrived in Paris this evening after completing their mission to the United States.

BULLETIN

London May 23.—A second American army medical unit arrived in England today.

Tommies Delighted At Prospect Of Help From Pershing's Men

By William Philip Simms
(By United Press)

With the British armies afield, May 23.—The Tommies were delighted today when they heard the news that General Pershing and his seasoned veterans soon would be fighting with them.

"Wel like Kaiser will have another disagreeable surprise coming to him," was fighting but no big fighting.

More Information Is Given Out For Registration Day June 5th

(By United Press)
Washington, May 23.—Mailing a selective service registration card to your home town if you are absent will not be sufficient, the Provost Marshal General's office declared today. At the same time it was stated that a child over twelve years of age would not necessarily be a dependent. A divorced wife drawing alimony is not necessarily a dependent. The statement said "It is not sufficient for the absentee to file his card at his home office but if he is in a city of 30,000 or over he must file it with the city clerk. Question No. 10 as to whether you are married or single should be answered with regard to your present status. If your wife is dead or divorced you are required to sign single."

CARTWRIGHT-KOOZER

Edward V. Cartwright and Bulah M. Koozer were united in marriage at Trinity Methodist parsonage today afternoon by Rev. W. W. Hartman. Miss Koozer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Koozer of Gibson township and was recently employed as a clerk in the local telegraph office. Mr. Cartwright is a Western Union telegraph operator of Clearfield, Pa. in which town the newlyweds, after a night's sojourn trip to Eastern cities, will reside.

CIRCUS DAY TOMORROW

Of course this heading will get you all to read this so right here we will remind you of the flag raising at the B. & E. station at 11 a. m. tomorrow morning and as for the circus it is unnecessary to remind you only about that except that the circus man promises him written, through a little tool.

BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

Mrs. James Horton entertained the Clearfield bridge club at her home. What was a very successful evening. There were four teams of four players each. The teams were led for twenty and a lovely luncheon was served. The table of prizes was a very attractive one. The bridge club meets every Wednesday evening and received the following prizes:

NEW BURGESS FOR OSCOOLA

Yesterday morning John B. pointed Joseph L. Burgess to Osceola, to fill the position vacated by the resignation of Dr. Myers.

Good to the last grain—there's no waste to

Golden Sun Coffee

FOR Golden Sun Coffee is cut by a special process—not ground or crushed. It's a full-strength, economical coffee in which there is neither dust nor chaff. From each pound there can be made an unusual number of cups of mellow, soothing, satisfying coffee that'll pour crystal clear. Only grocers sell Golden Sun. They sell it at a moderate price without premiums.

THE WOOLSON SPICE CO.
Toledo, Ohio



A GOOD FRIEND

A good friend stands by you when in need. Clearfield people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. Mrs. Condon endorsed Doan's over four years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

Mrs. M. M. Condon, 206 Merrill St., Clearfield, says: "I had a very lame back and suffered for a long time from distressing backaches. It hurt me awfully to stoop or lift and I couldn't rest at night. My kidneys bothered me greatly, also. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved the lameness in my back and regulated the action of my kidneys." (Statement given June 26, 1912.)

No Trouble Since

On December 7, 1915, Mrs. Condon said: "I have had no kidney trouble at all lately and feel confident that Doan's Kidney Pills have cured me." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Condon has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

FARMERS FAVOR PRICE FIXING

Fargo, N. D., May 23.—A minimum price of \$1 per bushel for potatoes and \$2 a bushel for wheat, to be guaranteed by the United States and Canadian governments to farmers, may be asked at the mass convention of farmers which assembled here today in response to a call issued by the Equity Co-operative Exchange. Farmers from many of the northwestern states and from western Canada are attending the meeting, which will continue in session two days. The need for a maximum price to consumers will be discussed and a resolution will be introduced asking the government to prohibit future trading in grains. Labor needs of farmers also will be discussed.

MONTANA G. A. R.

Butte, Mont., May 23.—Although the annual encampment of the Montana G. A. R. does not begin until tomorrow, the trains brought in the vanguard of visitors today, and the large number of early arrivals indicates that the attendance will equal the most sanguine expectations of the local committee of arrangements. In addition to the Grand Army encampment the gathering will include the annual sessions of the state organization of the Women's Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans and United Spanish War Veterans.

Letters to the Editor

Clearfield, Pa., May 22, 1917.
To the Editor of the Progress:

Dear Sir:
I think this is a matter that should be called to the attention to the people of Clearfield, and I ask that you either write an editorial or publish the letter, or both. As you please.

What is the matter with our Clearfield people when it comes to showing respect to our National Emblem? Are they exempt from the rule, "All stand when our national song is being played?" Or don't Clearfielders come under the head of "Citizens of the United States?"

I noticed last evening while in the Globe that very few people stood while the "Wurlitzer" ground out the song that should mean so much to all of us. Some of those who did stand crawled up in a shamefaced, hesitating way, and a couple of men managed to get half way up, slouching on the back of the chair. But this was better than not at all, and many, many men and women did not stand at all. Women should stand in honor of their country as well as men, but something similar to a genuine fighting spirit arises within me when I see MEN calmly sitting, too comfortable to rise and show their respect to their country.

It may be a slight physical discomfort to stand for a moment, (I'm sure it doesn't take longer than that for one verse of "The Star Spangled Banner"), you may drop your hat or your gloves and be compelled to fuss around and hunt for them, but did our forefathers stop to think of physical discomfort when they went forth to fight for liberty? These men who made possible these United States the stars and stripes, our emblem of freedom, and the national song in praise of Old Glory, didn't think it was too much trouble to go out to fight, to lay down their lives in the cause of freedom, and why should we who are enjoying what they gave us think it too much of an effort to stand while our national song is being played?

We can't all join the army or navy or get into actual service for the country. But we are serving in our small way, and we people who are compelled to stay back home and plant potatoes and do our bit in an obscure way should feel that we are serving our country every bit as much as the men and women who are wearing the uniform of service, and we should feel so strongly that whenever and wherever our national song is played we should stand and show that we too love our flag, and our national song, and all that they stand for.

So let us do this much, if only to show that our hearts are in the right place. It is such a small thing to do, but the feeling of satisfaction which comes with showing your love for your country every time the opportunity presents itself, no matter how small the act, is ample reward. Last evening I stood six times while "The Star Spangled Banner" was played, but I would willingly have stood sixty times to show my love for my country.

A loyal American girl.

Ralph Jordan left this morning for Altoona to attend the Barnum & Bailey circus.

New Plan of Business

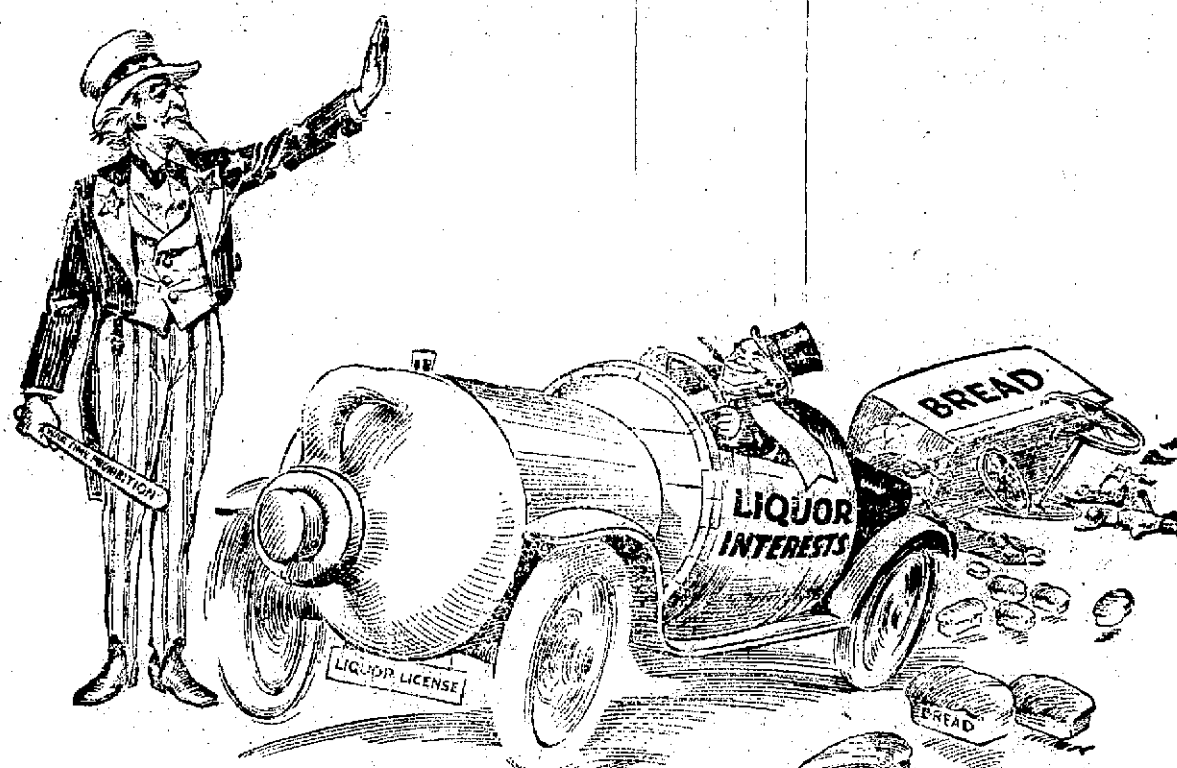
On account of the steady advance in everything that I have to use in my work it will be necessary for me to conduct my business on

A Strictly Cash Plan

I will continue to call for and deliver all cleaning as before and you will find our work up to its usual good standard.

T. J. Norris

THE CLOTHES CLEANER



"The Joy-rider!"

All England at Work Hunting Bride For Prince of Wales

Northcliffe Press Wants No More of Foreign Blood in Royal Family and Humble Princess is Favored

WILL NOT PERMIT ALLIANCE WITH HUNS

(By United Press)
London, May 1.—(By Mail)—English society has sidetracked most other activities for the serious business of picking a bride for the Prince of Wales. The Prince himself, somewhere in France, is wooing the fortune of war, probably unaware of the concern he is giving English society.

Society's cause for concern is the fear that the Prince may follow are precedent of preceding heirs to the throne and marry a foreign princess—even a German one, for which the precedent is very recent. And society—spelled with either a small or capital "S" isn't going to stand for anything like that. "A British queen for the British" is becoming society's motto and it has passed from whispering tea-time circles to the bold publicity of the newspaper editorial page. Conservatives and radicals alike are declaring it.

"So far as Britain is concerned the German royal matrimonial importation henceforth is a bankrupt and discredited concern, and the marriageable members of our Royal Family will be pleased to look for consorts nearer home."

This is from Northcliffe's conservative Weekly Dispatch. "We want no more foreigners in our Royal Family. It is not their fault, it is their misfortune, that they are pure German in blood, and that whenever and wherever a royal prince or princess is born it is pure German in blood. There is no British blood in our royal family. The remedy is obvious."

That from the more radical Evening Star. "English opinion, at the present time, would rather see a British prince take his wife from the chorus or the gutter than from a German royal house. And that, of course, is not the alternative."

So chimes in the Manchester Dispatch.

These newspapers and others are urging revision of the Royal Marriages Act, whereby princes of the royal line are practically compelled to marry foreign princesses. The law was passed in 1772 as the result of George III's anger at two brothers who married English ladies of far from royal rank. It has had many awkward consequences, since outside of Germany, nearly all reigning houses are Roman Catholic, with whom an alliance would be impossible for the head of the Church of England.

This causes a correspondent of the London Times to say:

"The Russian Royal Family are not barred on religious grounds but after the recent revolution it would be a blazing indiscretion for our court to bring about an alliance with them. The royal families of Italy and Belgium are barred by Roman Catholicism and the French Bourbon and Orleans princes or pretenders are equally ineligible for that reason or for the offense which would be given the French Republic."

Almost all discussions of the subject, therefore, get back to principle of a British bride for the heir apparent. As terrible examples of German alliance

COURT NOTES

The case of D. H. Faulkner vs. The Freedom Oil Works company, which was called in court yesterday before Judge Whitehead following the finish of the E. D. Schwep & Co. case was settled, the oil company paying Mr. Faulkner \$1350 each side to pay its own costs. In this case the defendant was charged with selling gaso line in mistake for coal oil, as a result of which the plaintiff's wife and three children lost their lives in a fire which started when Mrs. Faulkner attempted to hurry the morning fire by a dash of kerosene. In his original suit Mr. Faulkner asked for \$70,000 damages. He was represented by L. D. McCall, Esq., while James A. Gleason represented the oil company.

Barbara C. Heverly filed a petition in the Probate court yesterday in which she asks for a private road from her home in Becerra township to a point in the public road at or near the line of H. C. Heverly and to pass through the land of C. W. Heverly. This road had been established and in use but had never been placed of record.

Lydia Freeman by her attorney Walter Welch, filed a petition asking for a divorce from her husband Fred Freeman.

Attorney A. L. Edwards, filed a petition in divorce on behalf of Mrs. Sara Doris Amarosa, in which she seeks a divorce from her husband, Frank Amarosa, of Osceola.

Court room visitors this morning saw the unusual spectacle of a Judge on the witness stand in his own court. This happened when Attorney W. A. Hagerty in attempting to secure title to the William Caldwell estate farm in Lumber City for Charles Caldwell who claims ownership of same, called Judge Bell to the witness stand to prove by his testimony that the claimant of the land had been in peaceable possession of the same for more than the required twenty-one years. The farm was located near Judge Bell's boyhood home. Judge Whitehead heard the case and accepted the verdict of the jury giving title to the property to Charles Caldwell following Judge Bell's testimony, he being the only witness called.

Following the Caldwell case Judge Bell excused ten jurors who were anxious to get home and held the balance of the jurors for several cases on the list for tomorrow and Friday.

The Montola Water company of Osceola, through their attorneys Bouton & Forsyth, filed their answer to the \$20,000 damage suit brought by A. R. Chase, Esq., on behalf of Mary Kenna of Osceola for the death of her husband James Kenna, he being one of the recent typhoid fever victims at Osceola. The Water company denies negligence and liability for Kenna's death and recites the fact that he was not a resident of the district supplied by the company. They also deny that the water of Minnow run entered their reservoir, and that if it did there was no pollution in it and if there was pollution in it they had no notice thereof.

Judge Whitehead concluded his labors here this morning and left for Williamsport at 4:55. The wholesale liquor license cases were continued pending the disposition of Attorney Miller's motion for an arrest of judgment in the E. D. Schwep & Co. case. A time for the hearing of argument on this motion will be fixed by Judge Bell under the rules of court and when this time is fixed Judge Whitehead will return to Clearfield and hear same. Following this the case will be finally disposed of in this

Washington & Wilson

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WAR WILL NOT STOP MICHIGAN'S ROAD PLANS

Saginaw, Mich., May 23.—War won't halt Michigan's campaign for better roads. With state appropriations available as usual, plans were laid here today at the annual meeting of the State good Roads association to continue the program of highway construction and improvement on a systematic basis.

Good roads enthusiasts from all sections of the state attended the convention. Officials of the association estimated that \$1,500,000 would be spent on good roads in Michigan during 1917.

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What it is and How you can Get it without Cost to you. An Absolute Necessity for Every Housewife.



WHAT IT IS

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The line is specially braided over a core of five strands of heavy cotton giving strength enough to hold an entire washing. It is furnished complete with screws and hooks ready to be attached wherever desired—in doors or out.

Why put up with the old rope or wire line any longer? Alternate rain and sunshine rots and rusts them. They are continually gathering dirt to rub off on your clean clothes.

Do not confuse the Star Reel with those that are cheaply made with a few feet of line for indoor use only. You will find uses for the Star Reel at any season of the year—you need it. Why not get one today?

HOW YOU CAN GET A STAR REEL

We are giving the Star Reel free, without any cost to you with each yearly paid-in-advance subscription to The Clearfield Progress.

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TENER SAYS THE NATIONALS MUST WIN THIS YEAR

Baseball Will Suffer If The Old Time Aggregation Falls To Bring Home The Bacon

AMERICAN HAS BEEN WINNING

By H. C. Hamilton
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
New York, May 23.—"The National league must win some world's championships or baseball—as well as the National league—is going to suffer," said John K. Tener, president of the National league today.

"The ease with which the Red Sox defeated Brooklyn last year and the fact that they had little trouble in winning from Philadelphia the year before makes it rather hard for the National league."

"We haven't been winning world's championships often enough. The reputation of the old Cubs and the old Giants doesn't do us much good. The fact that the Braves established a record by winning a world's championship in four straight games, defeating what is called the greatest baseball machine ever pieced together doesn't get us any prestige at all. We've got to win championships and keep on winning them."

"I realize just as much as any one that the league doesn't seem to shape up with the American, although I know in my own heart that by comparison on the record of years—that we do not suffer."

Tener undoubtedly has grasped the point on which the National league kind of baseball is going to live or die. The National league will have to win some championships before it can take rank with the brand produced by Ben Johnson's subjects.

New York has acquired considerable of a National league baseball club. It is expected everywhere that it will win the National league championship. If it does it will provide some pretty strong opposition for anything the American league can best out. In a short series it would be a hard task to defeat that aggregation of high-strung, hard-playing athletes.

The regularity with which the Athletics formerly crushed National league opposition, the success of the Red Sox in 1912 and their two later victories in 1915 and 1916 look rather bad for the National league—and all this in spite of the wonderful Cubs, the Pirates and the amazing feats of the Braves.



Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages, 20 for 10c, or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine paper-covered carton for \$1.00. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel.

PROVE the absolute superiority of Camel cigarettes to your taste by comparing them puff-by-puff with any cigarette at any price. You'll rejoice in the refreshing flavor of this expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos—it's so delightful and welcome to men who have smoked either tobacco straight!

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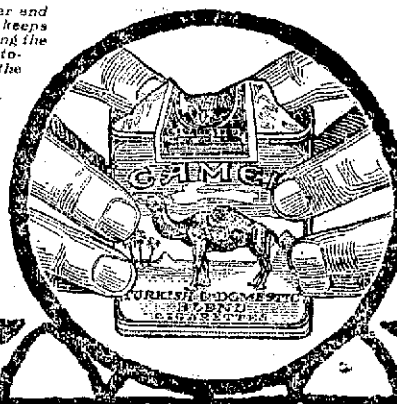
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UNITED PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY

Boston, Mass., May 23.—With a majority of the commissioners already here arrangements for the opening of the annual session of the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian church are complete. The proceedings will be opened in the First United Presbyterian church tomorrow morning with a sermon by the retiring moderator. Delegates and visitors from every part of the country have arrived in the city to attend the gathering.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Sebastiano Cadilli, deceased. Letters of Administration on the estate of Sebastiano Cadilli, late of Clearfield Borough, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Tony Cadilli of Clearfield, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands, will make known the same without delay.

A. R. CHASE, Attorney.
M-5-16-23-29-J-C-13
Tony Cadilli, Administrator

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS

The following teachers' examinations will be held throughout the county:

Blue Ball, Monday, June 4.
Ansonville, Tuesday, June 5.
Curwensville, Wednesday, June 6.
Luthersburg, Thursday, June 7.
Madison, Friday, June 8.
Morrisdale, Saturday, June 9.
Karthaus, Wednesday, June 13.
Ramey, Thursday, June 14.
Westover, Saturday, June 16.
Granville, Thursday, June 21.
Pendleton, Friday, June 22.
New Milport, Saturday, June 23.
Mithoff, Monday, June 25.
Professional at Clearfield, Tuesday, June 26.
Clearfield, Wednesday, June 27.
Chester Hill, Thursday, June 28.
Winburn, Friday, June 29.
Ossola Mills, Friday, June 30.
Coalport, Saturday, June 30.
Houtzdale, Friday, July 6.
Dubois, Saturday, July 7.

Section 1202 of the School Code provides that every teacher employed to teach in the public schools of this Commonwealth be a person of good moral character and must be at least eighteen years of age. Applicants attending Summer School shall take the examination at the close of their school. Persons attending schools outside of the county may enter the class most convenient for them. For Provisional Certification the examination in Pedagogy will be based on Lincoln's "Everyday Pedagogy" and "The Study of Nature" by Schuckler.

Each applicant on entering the class will give the Superintendent a self-addressed, stamped envelope, accompanied with a recommendation of good moral character.

Teachers whose certificates average 1-4 and who present testimonials from their Boards of Directors certifying that they have taught two successful terms of school are eligible to enter the Professional Examination. Two books in Pedagogy are required selected from a list suggested by the State Superintendent, a list of which will be found in the Institute Annual. Select two books in which you have

not been previously examined. For the renewal of Professional Certificate Elementary Pedagogy and English Literature will be required, and the extra books in Pedagogy in which you have not been previously examined. The announcement for the renewal of Professional Certificate is also found in the Institute Annual. This examination will be held on June 26th.

A professional spirit, proper to scholars, is expected of each of the teachers. It is requested that they be actively and co-operatively to meet the examination.

WE are authorized to announce the name of Dr. R. L. Williams of Houtzdale borough, as a candidate for corner of Clearfield county, subject to the rules governing the Republican party at the coming fall primaries. P. O. Address, Houtzdale, Pa.

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General de Wiert Has Been Shot Nine Times But Still Fights

Left Arm, Right Arm and Many Other Wounds Are Carried by Dauntless Warrior

By J. M. Taylor
London, May 23.—General de Wiert, a Belgian, who was shot nine times, but still fights, is being taken to the hospital. He is a dauntless warrior, and his wounds are not serious. He is being taken to the hospital, and his wounds are not serious. He is being taken to the hospital, and his wounds are not serious.

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Look and Feel Clean, Sweet and Fresh Every Day

Drink a glass of real hot water before breakfast to wash out poisons.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, out well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

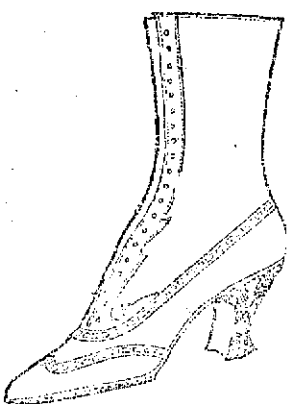
Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisons stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the insides organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, biliousness, spells, stomach trouble, rheumatism; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store which will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced unit on the subject of internal sanitation.

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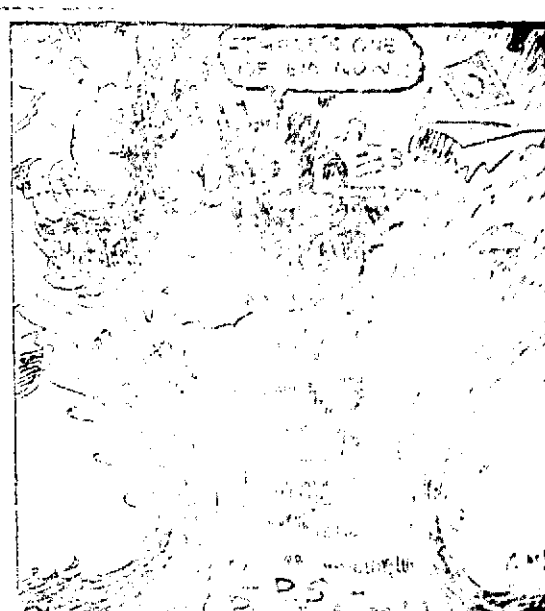
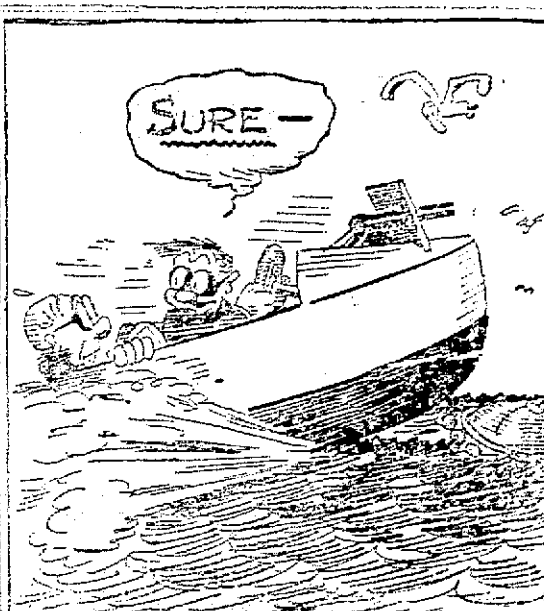
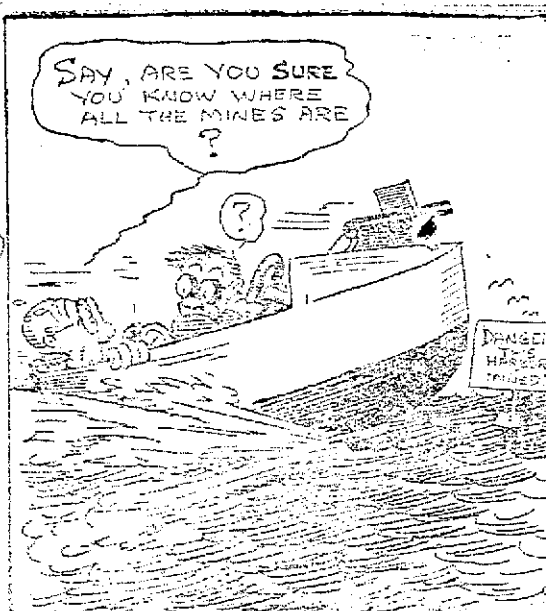
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See story in paper today

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mrs. Don Gingery arrived home today from a visit with friends in Westport, Conn.

Miss Lois Fegley of Grampian, spent yesterday with Miss Marjorie Cole at her home on West Front street.

C. C. Austin and son Charles left yesterday for Binghamton, N. Y. where they will make their future home. Mrs. Austin and children will leave in a few weeks.

George Reed of New Kensington, formerly of Clearfield is visiting with friends in town.

Mrs. W. J. Blakeley is visiting relatives in Grampian.

Miss Phyllis Brown of Osceola visited at the home of D. C. Barrett on Fourth street today on her way to DuBois.

Miss Mayme Langton of Curwensville spent last evening in Clearfield.

Mrs. Gurney Smith arrived home last evening from a trip to Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Chester Walker and father, Mr. Conter, of Bigler were Clearfield visitors today.

Mrs. W. E. Hoffman and two daughters of Tyrone and Mrs. L. G. Runk of Philipsburg motored to Clearfield to shop yesterday.

Mrs. J. O. Reed and daughter Mrs. Jones and Miss Ruth Snyder of Philipsburg were shoppers here yesterday.

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Judge Whitehead, of Williamsport, and Judge Bell motored to DuBois yesterday in John A. Stock's car where they transacted business.

James Sheridan of DuBois, was in town on business today.

J. N. Schoonover, president of the Moshannon National bank attended the bank meeting here yesterday.

C. G. Avery of Philipsburg, formerly cashier of the Moshannon National bank was in town on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Darr and Mr. and Mrs. George Darr motored to Clearfield Saturday evening and spent a couple days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hoyt.

Warren H. Reed of Dudley, prominent coal operator was in town on business today.

John Middleton of DuBois, attended to business at the county seat today.

Peter Reilly and M. J. Devine of DuBois were business visitors here today.

W. B. Clark of Mahaffey, cashier of the Mahaffey National bank attended to business here yesterday.

W. J. Hines of DuBois, had business in town today.

Henry Weisgerber of Luthersburg, is visiting his son Superintendent C. A. Weisgerber and family on Ogden avenue.

Mrs. S. P. Watt and Mr. and Mrs. George Kittleberger, of Curwensville, were shopping here yesterday.

J. B. McGaw of Pittsburgh, transacted business here yesterday.

Jesse Mignot of LeConte Mills is spending a few days here.

C. S. Russell, president of Curwensville National bank motored to Clearfield yesterday and attended the bank meeting.

Messrs. Kuhn, William Schopp and Kenny returned to their homes in Pittsburgh this morning after spending a few days fishing at Crystal Springs camp.

A. B. Reed left yesterday for a trip to Philadelphia.

John Hahls of DuBois spent yesterday in Clearfield.

WANTS

WANTED—Delivery boy to work all day. Must be over sixteen years of age. Apply at once to A. W. Leonardson Co. Store. M-23-ttc

COOK WANTED—At once for lumber camp with 10 to 15 men. Highest wages paid. Ralph O. Smith, Sundry Ridge, Pa. M-23-3tp

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. J. Wallace Chase, 308 Nichols St. M-22-3t

BARBER WANTED—First class barber wanted at once. Call at Jas. Cross Barber shop, Market St. M-22-tf

WANTED—A teamster. Good wages and easy work. Call H. & C. phone 73-r2. M-22-4tp

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Apply P. O. Box 123, Clearfield, Pa. M-17-twp

BOY WANTED—To learn barber trade. Apply James Cross Barber shop, Market street. M-22-tf

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay \$1.00 to \$10 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mauer, 2907 S. Fifth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. M-16-4w-pd.

FOR SALE—A grey round willow baby carriage in good condition. Inquire at Progress. M-16

FOR SALE—Team of horses and outfit. For information call H. & C. phone 22-2 or call at the residence of 1111 Dorey. M-23-2t-cg

FOR SALE—Chevrolet car, model 490 in good condition, only run 3000 miles. Cheap if sold at once. Call Progress office. M-23-Gt

FOR SALE—1914 model, 5 passenger Buick, 4 cylinder. Overhauled this spring and is in good shape. In information Box 43, Curwensville, Pa. M-19-4t-pd.

FOR SALE—One 1916 Indian motorcycle, three speed, brand new, for sale at a bargain, also one 2 passenger automobile. Address Lee Linsenbarger, Clearfield. H. & C. phone 410. M-14-ttc

FOR SALE—Five passenger, four cylinder, 1915 Cole in A1 condition. Seat covers and extra equipment. Will sell for \$600 if sold at once. Car can be seen at Central Garage or call H. J. Waters, H. & C. phone 443x3. M-18-6tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Electric light, bath and all other modern conveniences. Call H. & C. 199 x-2. M-21-4f

LOST—A brooch set with pearls. Lost on May 13 at corner of Pine or between Pine and Locust on Fourth. Valued highly as a gift. Finder kindly leave at Progress office or 323 Pine street and receive reward. M-22-2t-pd

terday in Clearfield on his way to Johnstown.

Breck Straw and son of Kermoor, were in Clearfield today on business.

RUSSIAN PREMIER PREDICTS REPUBLIC OF PEACE

New York, May 23 — Predicting that a Republic of Peace will rise in Russia after the war, Premier Lvoff of the provisional government today sent a message to the American people, through Isaac F. Marcusson, representative of Everybody's Magazine.

"The newest of democracies greets America with peculiar fervor, because it feels that the American people can readily understand what the great Russian revolution means," said Lvoff. "Autocracy in Russia is dead forever. In its stead will soon rise a Republic of Peace."

"We wish America to realize thoroughly that there can be but one result of the great upheaval, and that result a real democracy modeled along the lines of the American republic, creating a government by and for the whole people. It will mean justice and opportunity to everybody."

"The name Russia once meant darkness and oppression. It will now mean light and freedom. The New Russia will be the frankest and most liberal of republics. In New Russia the Jew and Gentile are brothers."

"We want America to know that Russia will continue the war to a peace dictated by allied victory."

ON THE SCREEN

Marguerite Clark as Jean Fanshaw in "THE CRUCIBLE"

Special at the Globe Theatre Tomorrow

Jean Fanshaw is brought up by her father as nearly like a boy as possible, with the result that, when he dies, her mother and sister, quite different from Jean, ill-treat her. They cause friends and neighbors to dislike her and eventually Jean is sentenced to the reformatory, where the riff-raff of the state are collected and among them Stella Wilkes, a notorious girl.

Jean escapes from the reformatory, and meets Craig Atwood, a young artist, who learning her sad story, advises her to go back and serve out her term. She returns and later saves the matron from assault and wins her pardon. She goes to the city but is hounded everywhere by Stella Wilkes who has sworn to "get even." Almost at the brink of despair, she again meets the artist and promises to become his wife. How the cup of happiness is snatched from her lips, how the shadow of the reformatory again looms over her and how she regains her own love, are vividly unfolded in this unusually strong photoplay.

Buried alive! That is what happens to one of the leading characters in Edison's five-part photoplay "The Heart of the Hills," scheduled at the Tent Thursday night. According to the critics who have viewed this film, that is only one of the many exciting incidents in this feature drama. "The Heart of the Hills," in which Mabel Trunnell and Conway Tearle are featured, is released through the Kleines-Edison-Selig-Essary Service.

"THE GILDED CAGE"
At The Globe Tonight
Mention a gilded cage, and someone

We Announce a Very Important Reduction Sale of Millinery

Hats That Were \$5.00 to \$7.00 Are Now \$3.95 to \$4.95

Readjusting our stocks brings to you the remaining stock of Spring millinery at greatly reduced prices. You will find included all the newest and most favored shapes and trimming ideas. Mostly one of a kind. Such hats as these will be worn throughout the summer so here is a millinery buying opportunity that should have the attention of every woman.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats

All hats that were \$5 and \$6 now marked at \$3.95
All hats that were \$7.00 now marked \$4.95

Children's Trimmed Hats

Children's \$1.75 and \$2.00 hats now .. \$1.50
Children's \$2.25 and \$2.50 hats now .. \$1.95
Children's \$3.00 and \$3.50 hats now .. \$2.25

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

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J. C. McCallister, M. D.,
Kidway, Penna.
At DuBois Each Tuesday
Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat and the Fitting of Glasses.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by Cooper Township School Board, until 12 noon of Saturday, June 2, 1917 for the erection of a 4 room school building to be located in Cooper Township, Clearfield county, heating, ventilating and plumbing to be separate contracts.

Bids must be deposited with the Secretary of the School Board accompanied with a certified check in the amount of \$100, made payable to the Cooper Township School District as a guarantee of good faith. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned after bids are opened.

Plans and specifications may be seen after May 23 in the hands of the Secretary of the School Board or W. H. Overdorf, Architect, DuBois, Pa.

Successful bidders will be required to execute bond in sum equal to the amount of their bid for the faithful performance of the contract.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By Order of Board
Andrew Nonistrom, Pres.,
Winborne, Pa.
Walter Stewart, Sec'y.,
Kylertown, Pa.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS NO. 5 OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

No. 3177 March Term, 1917
In the matter of the Petition of
BEAVER BRANCH COAL COMPANY

For Decree of Dissolution of Said Corporation.

Notice is hereby given that BEAVER BRANCH COAL COMPANY has filed in the above court its petition for a Decree of Dissolution, and that the Court has fixed the 25th day of May, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., as the time and the said Court as the place for hearing said petition and application for dissolution, when and where all persons interested can attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

ARTHUR G. DICKSON
Solicitor for Petitioner

WICHSTER'S PILLS
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

The Tent Movies

"The Home of Good Pictures"

TONIGHT	TOMORROW
Special 8 Big Reels	K-E-S-E PRESENTS
19th Episode of "LIBERTY" In Two Reels.	"THE HEART OF THE HILLS" in 5 Acts Featuring Mabel Trunnell and Conway Tearle A Beautiful Story
King Baggot and Leah Baird in A one reel comedy mystery entitled "SO THIS IS PARIS"	Pathe News Depicting scenes from all corners of the world
Adults 10c	Children 5c

Take Pictures of The Circus

We have just received a shipment of the new Buster Brown cameras. Just in time for tomorrow's fun. These little ones do wonderfully good work.

2 1-2 x 4 1-4 \$9
2 1-4 x 3 1-4 \$2

Have you plenty of films? We have all sizes.

STEWART'S DRUG STORE

Press The Button And Get The Record You Want

No Cumbersome "Books" To Handle---No
Chance Of Dropping The Whole File---
Only One Record Out At A Time---No
Records Scattered Over the Tables

That's only one of the many exclusive features of the Columbia Grafonola. The tone control---the softness of tonal quality, but, why enumerate; Come to the store and let us demonstrate the clarity and beauty of tone of these wonderful true-to-life instruments.

The June Records Will Be Here Shortly

Due to a delay in shipping the June records have not reached us thus far but from the list now in our hands we are going to have some of the most militant of martial airs; the sweetest orchestral selections; vocal music that runs the whole gamut from grand opera to ragtime, in fact, there will be a veritable feast of music when these new records strike the store.

Have you heard the wonderful music created by the Soxo sextette on their saxophones? Do you like that vibrant Miramba Band music? There and several other features are all prominent in the June records.



Ask About Our Easy Payment Plan

You needn't wait until you have saved enough to pay cash for one of these Grafonolas---we have an easy payment plan whereby you can enjoy the music of artists while you are paying for the instrument in easy payments.

You are going to own a Grafonola sometime. Why put it off and deny yourself the pleasure that can be yours for the asking? A small initial payment and then---easy monthly installments---and your home is filled with the most delightful music of the greatest artists of the world.

Prices From \$15
to \$2.00



Stewart's Drug Store

Lack Of Training Is Not Valid Reason For Exemption

Captain Prosser Of Independent Military Company Offers Free Instruction To All Clearfield Men

BE PREPARED WHEN YOUR CALL COMES

All men of military age and particularly those within the selective conscription age limit in Clearfield are afforded the opportunity of becoming acquainted with the manual of arms and securing a measure of training that will be of almost incalculable value to them when they are finally chosen for military duty when Uncle Sam makes up his list following the draft, by the generous offer of Captain Frederick Prosser of the Independent Military Company.

Captain Prosser is not only a qualified instructor by recently passed the examination for a second lieutenant's commission in the army and those placing themselves under his instruction will receive the same training as would be given them at a regular training camp or by a regular officer.

Captain Prosser is not only a qualified instructor but recently able in his training corps and every young man, whether he expects to be in the first call or not should accept this proposition and turn out for drill.

Over in the neighboring town of Indiana there are five different companies of men training. These nearly all of the business men have enlisted for training and while many of them do not expect to be called to the colors at the same time they feel the need of some measure of training and are enthusiastically at it two nights in the week.

The same condition should maintain here and every man between the ages

of 18 and 45 should turn out to these weekly drills and familiarize themselves with military tactics and training in order that if the call should come later on they would, in a measure, at least, be prepared.

Let our laboring men, merchants, lawyers, doctors, bankers, clerks and all who come within the ages mentioned get in touch with Capt. Prosser and take up training at once. It won't hurt you in any event and may be vitally necessary to you later on.

State Institute Of Farmers At DuBois An Interesting Affair

State Board of Agriculture Join With County Farmers In Discussion of Important Subjects

Criticism of the railroad for not providing ample transportation facilities to help the farmers secure their agricultural machinery, seeds and fertilizers was brought forward at the meeting of the State Board of Agriculture which opened yesterday. Several members of the State Board charged that the railroads had done more to retard the production of maximum crops than any other agency.

Over one hundred progressive farmers representing every county of the state are attending the three day session of the State Board of Agriculture and the Farmer's Annual Normal Institute at DuBois. Farm labor, cold storage, food speculation and other topics of vital importance to the farmers at this time were widely discussed yesterday. The farmers were unanimous in the opinion that the present system of details in agricultural work must be adjusted to meet the conditions of the times.

Loris Piolet, of Bradford county, who presided at the meeting, stated that the farmer today was being brought into more prominence than ever before. He said that the granaries of the country are depleted by food speculators and that the farmers are not getting the high prices which have been forced upon the people by the food speculators. He expressed the hope that Congress would pass stronger laws to stop gambling in food products.

It was brought out at the meeting that thousands of farmers were compelled this Spring to put out their crops without getting fertilizers and that the failure of the railroads to make shipments of both fertilizers and seeds had greatly handicapped the production of the greatest food supply the state has ever known. W. Theo. Wittman brought up a recent ruling of express companies declaring that one dozen eggs is the normal breakage in the shipment of a crate of eggs and allowing no refund for such damages or shortage. He also said that it was practically impossible for egg shippers to get empty crates returned by express companies. Secretary of Agriculture Charles E. Patton told of an agreement with the railroads and with the National Government authorities to see that all agricultural products were given special consideration by the railroads and he asked that specific complaints be made to the Department of Agriculture at Harrisburg and that immediate attention would be given to help brought to the farmers.

Comments were made by members that every effort be made by State Board members to urge farmers to raise the calves and also to raise more pigs. The problem of labor was discussed at length and the merits and demerits of the high school and college boys on the farms brought forth varied opinions, but a general conclusion that this labor extended by the cities to the farmers in their time of need could be utilized to splendid advantage with patience and teaching.

W. Theo. Wittman declared that the cold storage helped the consumer and also the farmer in that it kept prices of eggs and poultry at a fair price during the spring when the production was largest and also helped to keep down the price for the consumer in the winter when there were fewer fresh eggs on the market. He declared emphatically in favor of the eight months storage period for eggs.

The labor question was also discussed by Mrs. Hanna McK Lyons, E. B. Dorsett, J. Aldus Herr, George F. Barnes and others and the general sentiment was expressed that the labor problem will never be satisfactorily solved until the farmer receives enough for his farm products to make an hour's labor on the farm worth as much as in any other line of industry. A better system of distribution of farm products was urged in order to cut down the increase in price made by the middle man who stands between the farmer and the ultimate consumer.

Secretary of Agriculture Charles E. Patton explained the features of the important bills concerning the agricultural interests of the state now before the Legislature. The Lohr dog law was warmly endorsed and a session tomorrow will be devoted to studying and endorsing other measures now before the Legislature, especially the bills dealing in the present law governing the Commission of Agriculture.

OFF FOR FORT SLOCUM

Ferd Mignot, Harry Davis and Harry Delaney left at 2 o'clock this afternoon in Mr. Mignot's car for DuBois where they took the train this evening for Fort Slocum, New York. This trio of Clearfield young men went to DuBois last week and took the preliminary examination for enlistment in the U. S. army and go to Fort Slocum with the intention of enrolling in the hospital ambulance corps. Messrs Mignot and Davis are expert drivers and mechanics and "Red" expects to qualify.

Local Public Safety Committee Meeting

Organization Effected and Monthly Meeting Agreed Upon For War's Duration

The Committee on Public Safety recently appointed by Governor Brumbaugh for Clearfield county met in the Arbitration Room at Clearfield on Tuesday the 22nd pursuant to the call of State Committeeman G. A. Lukehart. Of the thirty members on the total committee all but six were present.

The Committee organized by adopting the name of Clearfield County Committee of Public Safety and fixed the fourth Tuesday of each month as the regular time of meeting. The general plan of the State Committee for organization was adopted.

Captain A. H. Woodward, Clearfield, was elected chairman of the committee, H. B. Swoope, Madera, Pa., Vice President, James Mitchell, Clearfield, Treasurer and John M. Bam, Clearfield, Secretary. An executive committee composed of Charles A. Strong, Ansonville, Peter Gearhart, Clearfield, Hon. G. M. Alcorn, DuBois, H. B. Somerville, Winburne, and J. B. Connor, Duinside, was elected to serve in conjunction with the members of the state committee: M. A. Caldwell, Curwensville, G. A. Lukehart, DuBois, James Mitchell, Clearfield, Dr. J. G. L. Myers, Osceola Mills and Henry B. Swoope, Madera. Of the Executive committee G. A. Lukehart was selected chairman.

A number of interesting talks were made by persons present, along the line of what would be most effective to aid the county, state and nation in the months of war which are before the nation. The general opinion of those speaking was to the effect that the first and most important thing to do was to urge the extreme limit of planting, and at the same time to take up and devise some means of assisting the agriculturist in obtaining both seed and material.

Peter Gearhart, who is also president of the County Agricultural association, expressed it as his opinion that the planting of potatoes and vegetables has been fairly well taken care of by the increased acreage planted by the small grower and those who in the past have not been using their land at all. The wheat crop does not promise well in this locality. An abundance of corn should be planted. Beans are a good crop, though the seed is scarce and high, and the one last and best opportunity, when all else has been done is to utilize every possible acre for buckwheat. The buckwheat crop last year was far short of the demand. Mr. Gearhart stated that every additional bushel of buckwheat raised would release two-thirds of a bushel of wheat for the army and the allies.

It is the aim of this committee to serve the people in any and every way within their power, to act as a medium of exchange between the government and the people in so far as the securing of assistance of all kinds is concerned, the obtaining of data and information of a diversified character. Any person in any part of the county—and every person in every part of the county has a fact—should feel free to take up either in person or by letter any matter in which they are interested and in which the committee can be of service. The committee is organized so that every part of the county is represented. The office address of the Committee will be Clearfield.

MAY DAY ENTERTAINMENT

The Third Ward school gave a beautiful May Day entertainment yesterday afternoon on the school grounds.

A Maypole was the chief feature of the afternoon and was a most lovely sight to see the children dressed in their gayest colors winding up the Maypole. Miss Elizabeth Chase was a most charming May queen with all her attendants. There was also plenty of folk dancing.

About one hundred and twenty-five parents and patrons of the school enjoyed the entertainment and congratulated the teachers on the splendid way in which the program was carried out and their patience during the training of the children.

CURWENSVILLE BOY COMMISSIONED

Harry E. Bilger a former Curwensville boy, and brother of Mrs. Walter Welch, who is now located in Springfield, Illinois where he holds a position as engineer in the State Road department was last week given a commission as captain of reserves in the U. S. Engineer corps and is subject to call for duty at any time.

BULLETIN

At 4 P. M. the U. M. W. of A. convention at DuBois has taken no official action. W. B. Wilson, of Washington, D. C., is present.

When He Gets Mad He Wants To Fight

Clearfield Boy Can't Wait For Second Call Joins Engineers

Julian Chase, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chase of Locust street, one of efficient clerks in Brown's Boot Shop wants it understood that when he gets mad enough to want to fight, he wants to fight, and that's all there is to it, and if the best way to get into a fight is to join the army he wants to do that too. Accordingly when the call was issued for volunteers for the officers training camps throughout the nation young Chase promptly responded and going over to State College took the examination for admission to the training corps and came home to await a call to duty.

When the call was issued he failed to be one of the lucky ones in class A and was requested to await the second call about August 1st.

He was bound to help his Uncle Sammy out of his present difficulty somehow and did not approve of the delay in getting action on his money, so on Sunday last he hustled down to New York City and made application for enlistment in one of the regiments of engineers that is being recruited for early service in France, passed successfully and came back home last night to arrange his affairs preparatory to a call for service the first of next week.

These engineers will be called for a two months training course at either Fort Totten or Great Neck, Long Island preparatory for work in France. Mr. Chase has had several years engineering experience.

ARMY Y. M. C. A. WORK

The Y. M. C. A. On The Border
The editor of the Chicago Tribune commends the association for its work on the border in the following words:

"In the not of red tape, inefficiency and disorder incident to the mobilization of the national guard last summer there was just one bright spot, the Y. M. C. A."

"While the government was unable to obtain even wood for its hospitals and while the Red Cross was making a loud noise but accomplishing nothing, the Y. M. C. A. unostentatiously built its reading rooms in every camp furnished adequate secretaries, and brought to the men an opportunity for innocent amusement that did much in preserving the high moral standard of the soldier."

"Every branch of our military establishment, the Red Cross included, must be revolutionized before we can carry on successfully military affairs. The Y. M. C. A. alone is fully prepared to do its work."

WINBURNE LADY DEAD

Mrs. George Butler, of Winburne, was found dead yesterday about 3 p. m. by a neighbor lady. Mrs. Butler had not been in the best of health for about a week but there was no alarm as to her condition. Her son was in to see her yesterday morning before he came to Clearfield and she appeared to be in good spirits. When found she was fully attired, but lying down on her bed, which gives rise to the belief that she died after lying down for an afternoon sleep. Mrs. Butler was a daughter of the late Samuel Barger and was born and raised in Clearfield. J. Milton Barger of this city is a brother of the deceased.

BICYCLE RIDER DAMAGED

Fred Shugart, one of Postmaster Barclay's force of employees, is housed up at his home in Boggs township as the result of a collision with a motorcycle near Woodland on Monday evening. Young Shugart was on his way home riding his bicycle when a motorcycle crashed into him and bounced him off the road into the ditch. Both bicycle and rider were pretty badly used up and it will be a day or two yet before the young man will be back on duty. Dr. Shugart of Woodland made the necessary personal repairs.

GIVEN BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Miss Grace Connelly was treated to a pleasant birthday surprise at her home on Cherry street last evening. The evening was spent in dancing and games and delicious refreshments were served. About twelve couples were present.

Advertise in the Progress

Boston Clairvoyant Solves The Mystery

Second Sight Seer Says Little Arthur Caldwell Was Kidnapped by Dark Man

Some people have been wont to surround the disappearance of the little Caldwell boy at Rockton on May 9th last with an air of mystery, and as a fortune teller or two has already been asked to solve the problem, we give the following story for what it is worth:

Word of the mysterious disappearance of little Arthur Caldwell at Rockton has traveled a long way according to information received at the court house this morning Mrs. John Hancock, of Spruce street called the commissioners office this morning and read a letter which she received yesterday concerning the boy's disappearance. Mrs. Hancock said this letter was received from her sister who lives somewhere in Ohio and the sister stated that a Boston clairvoyant wrote her concerning the Rockton happening and in her letter described the Caldwell boy and said she could see him at the bank of a small stream in the woods throwing stones in the water; that she saw a dark man (presumably a foreigner) approaching and taking the child by the hand lead him across the water, stepping from stone to stone, and then taking him along a road which wound up and around a hill, deposited him in a cave near the top, where he has since been kept under guard by this same dark man.

We were unable to get the letter for publication and detail this much of the story as it was told us by the person who received the tale from Mrs. Hancock, who is interested in having the missing lad located.

WHAT DOES EUROPE THINK OF THE Y. M. C. A.?

The only bright spot in the war zones of Europe, Asia and Africa is the Y. M. C. A.

The nations of Europe, at war, know that the association is an indispensable organization. They know it has a great deal to do with keeping the men fit, consequently contributing to the success of their armies and navies. Great Britain feels the need of the association as is shown by the increase of her contribution from a paltry sum to \$5,000,000. The other nations have followed Great Britain's example and are standing behind her movement.

Among the 5,000,000 soldiers in prison camps hundreds of thousands of these are boys between the ages of 12 and 20 years.

For the United States army of 1,000,000 men will be required.

200 wooden association buildings.
1,000 experienced association secretaries.

200 pianos and piano players.
200 moving picture machines.
268,000 feet of film a day.
200 graphophones and 10,000 records.

3,000,000 sheets of writing paper daily.

40,000 pounds of ice per day.
10,000 pens per day and barrels of ink.

A Bible to every man.
95 automobiles and trucks.
Magazines by the hundred tons.

The \$3,000,000 the association is planning to raise by the 1st of June will help to pay for these things. Will you do your "bit"?

TRINITY METHODIST JUNIORS ELECT OFFICERS

Trinity Methodist church has an enthusiastic group of boys and girls who have been organized into a Junior League. The recently elected officers are:

President—Frances Stewart.
Vice Presidents—Eileen Smith, Frances Lynn, Vernee Pooler, Lulu Tobias.

Secretary—Gladys Coyer.
Treasurer—Blaine James.
Pianist—Dorothy Dimeling.
Assistant Pianist—Hele Phillips.

The meetings are held every Wednesday afternoon 4 to 4:15. The paper-entertainer is Miss Maude Pletcher.

NIVELLE EXTENDS OFFENSIVE

Paris, May 23.—General Nivelle's resumed offensive today extended the French line to Aulette and captured three German line trenches east of Chevaux and also advanced in the sector of Paulere and Californie. The French official statement detailed an offensive on the same front after three "violent attacks."

BRITISH FIGHTING LULLS

London, May 23.—Fighting was at a lull on the British front today. Field Marshall Haig reported heavy German bombardment of British positions.

U. S. Soon To Define Attitude Toward New Russian Slogan

Washington May 23.—The United States government plans before long to issue a formal statement on its attitude toward the Russian Soldier's and Workman's slogan "no annexation and no indemnities." This statement, while not revealed, will be similar to French Minister Ribot's statement yesterday in Paris. Though the state department has not given it out officially it will "sympathize" with Ribot's remarks.

This means, judging from Ribot's remarks that the United States wants the return of Alsace-Lorraine to France and restitution and indemnity for small nations including Belgium which Germany ruthlessly over-run. The American statement will be an individual expression of position although it will be in accordance with general ideas of the allies. This statement will probably be the most definite and conclusive announcement to date of America's war aims.

Hungarian Ministry Has Resigned After Period of Growing Unrest

Amsterdam, May 23.—Count Tisza's ministry has resigned according to Budapest dispatches received here today from the Central News.

Rumors have been current of growing unrest in Hungary. Count Tisza has been privy counsel and President of the council as the Hungarian cabinet is called since 1913.

Brazil Congress to Meet to Take Up Sinking of Their Steamship

Rio de Janeiro May 23.—The President of Brazil called a special meeting of Congress today to discuss the sinking, presumably by a German submarine, of the Brazilian steamship Ejupica. Public excitement is at the highest pitch and in view of this fact it is believed that the Brazilian government will change the severance of relations into a declaration of war.

WORLD WIDE WHEAT INCREASE

Washington, May 23.—A world wide increase in grain production to offset the serious food shortage of the past season was reported to the Agricultural department here today by the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome.

JOFFRE AND VIVIANI BACK HOME

Paris, May 23.—Marshal Joffre and Former Minister Viviani arrived in Paris this evening after completing their mission to the United States.

BULLETIN

London May 23.—A second American army medical unit arrived in England today.

Tommies Delighted At Prospect Of Help From Pershing's Men

By William Philip Simms
(By United Press)

With the British armies afield, May 23.—The Tommies were delighted today when they heard the news that General Pershing and his seasoned veterans soon would be fighting with them.

"Wel like Kaiser will have another disagreeable surprise coming to him," was fighting but no big fighting.

More Information Is Given Out For Registration Day June 5th

(By United Press)
Washington, May 23.—Mailing a selective service registration card to your home town if you are absent will not be sufficient, the Provost Marshal General's office declared today. At the same time it was stated that a child over twelve years of age would not necessarily be a dependant. A divorced wife drawing alimony is not necessarily a dependant. The statement said "It is not sufficient for the absentee to file his card at his home office but if he is in a city of 30,000 or over he must file it with the city clerk. Question No. 10 as to whether you are married or single should be answered with regard to your present status. If your wife is dead or divorced you are required to sign single."

CARTWRIGHT-KOOZER

Edward V. Cartwright and Bulah M. Koozer were united in marriage at Trinity Methodist parsonage today afternoon by Rev. W. W. Hartman. Miss Koozer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Koozer of Gibson township and was recently employed as a clerk in the local telegraph office. Mr. Cartwright is a Western Union telegraph operator of Clearfield, Pa. in which town the newlyweds, after a night's sojourn trip to Eastern cities, will reside.

CIRCUS DAY TOMORROW

Of course this heading will get you all to read this so right here we will remind you of the flag raising at the B. & E. station at 11 a. m. tomorrow morning and as for the circus it is unnecessary to remind you only about that except that the circus man promises fair weather, though a little cool.

BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

Mrs. James Horton entertained the Clearfield bridge club at her home. What was a very successful and enjoyable session. There were about twenty and a lovely luncheon was served. The table of prizes was a most attractive one. The bridge club will meet again on June 1st and received the prizes.

NEW BURGESS FOR OSCEOLA

Yesterday morning John B. pointed Joseph L. Burgess, an Osceola, to fill the position of Burgess resigned by DuBois Myers.



Good to the last grain—there's no waste to Golden Sun Coffee

FOR Golden Sun Coffee is cut by a special process—not ground or crushed. It's a full-strength, economical coffee in which there is neither dust nor chaff. From each pound there can be made an unusual number of cups of mellow, soothing, satisfying coffee that'll pour crystal clear. Only grocers sell Golden Sun. They sell it at a moderate price without premiums.

THE WOOLSON SPICE CO.
Toledo, Ohio



A GOOD FRIEND

A good friend stands by you when in need. Clearfield people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. Mrs. Condon endorsed Doan's over four years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

Mrs. M. M. Condon, 206 Merrill St., Clearfield, says: "I had a very lame back and suffered for a long time from distressing backaches. It hurt me awfully to stoop or lift and I couldn't rest at night. My kidneys bothered me greatly, also. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved the lameness in my back and regulated the action of my kidneys." (Statement given June 26, 1912.)

No Trouble Since

On December 7, 1915, Mrs. Condon said: "I have had no kidney trouble at all lately and feel confident that Doan's Kidney Pills have cured me." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Condon has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

FARMERS FAVOR PRICE FIXING

Fargo, N. D., May 23.—A minimum price of \$1 per bushel for potatoes and \$2 a bushel for wheat, to be guaranteed by the United States and Canadian governments to farmers, may be asked at the mass convention of farmers which assembled here today in response to a call issued by the Equity Co-operative Exchange. Farmers from many of the northwestern states and from western Canada are attending the meeting, which will continue in session two days. The need for a maximum price to consumers will be discussed and a resolution will be introduced asking the government to prohibit future trading in grains. Labor needs of farmers also will be discussed.

MONTANA G. A. R.

Butte, Mont., May 23.—Although the annual encampment of the Montana G. A. R. does not begin until tomorrow, the trains brought in the vanguard of visitors today, and the large number of early arrivals indicates that the attendance will equal the most sanguine expectations of the local committee of arrangements. In addition to the Grand Army encampment the gathering will include the annual sessions of the state organization of the Women's Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans and United Spanish War Veterans.

Letters to the Editor

Clearfield, Pa., May 22, 1917.
To the Editor of the Progress:

Dear Sir:
I think this is a matter that should be called to the attention to the people of Clearfield, and I ask that you either write an editorial or publish the letter, or both. As you please.

What is the matter with our Clearfield people when it comes to showing respect to our National Emblem? Are they exempt from the rule, "All stand when our national song is being played?" Or don't Clearfielders come under the head of "Citizens of the United States?"

I noticed last evening while in the Globe that very few people stood while the "Wurlitzer" ground out the song that should mean so much to all of us. Some of those who did stand crawled up in a shamefaced, hesitating way, and a couple of men managed to get half way up, slouching on the back of the chair. But this was better than not at all, and many, many men and women did not stand at all. Women should stand in honor of their country as well as men, but something similar to a genuine fighting spirit arises within me when I see MEN calmly sitting, too comfortable to rise and show their respect to their country.

It may be a slight physical discomfort to stand for a moment, (I'm sure it doesn't take longer than that for one verse of "The Star Spangled Banner"), you may drop your hat or your gloves and be compelled to fuss around and hunt for them, but did our forefathers stop to think of physical discomfort when they went forth to fight for liberty? These men who made possible these United States the stars and stripes, our emblem of freedom, and the national song in praise of Old Glory, didn't think it was too much trouble to go out to fight, to lay down their lives in the cause of freedom, and why should we who are enjoying what they gave us think it too much of an effort to stand while our national song is being played?

We can't all join the army or navy or get into actual service for the country. But we are serving in our small way, and we people who are compelled to stay back home and plant potatoes and do our bit in an obscure way should feel that we are serving our country every bit as much as the men and women who are wearing the uniform of service, and we should feel so strongly that whenever and wherever our national song is played we should stand and show that we too love our flag, and our national song, and all that they stand for.

So let us do this much, if only to show that our hearts are in the right place. It is such a small thing to do, but the feeling of satisfaction which comes with showing your love for your country every time the opportunity presents itself, no matter how small the act, is ample reward. Last evening I stood six times while "The Star Spangled Banner" was played, but I would willingly have stood sixty times to show my love for my country.

A loyal American girl.

Ralph Jordan left this morning for Altoona to attend the Barnum & Bailey circus.

New Plan of Business

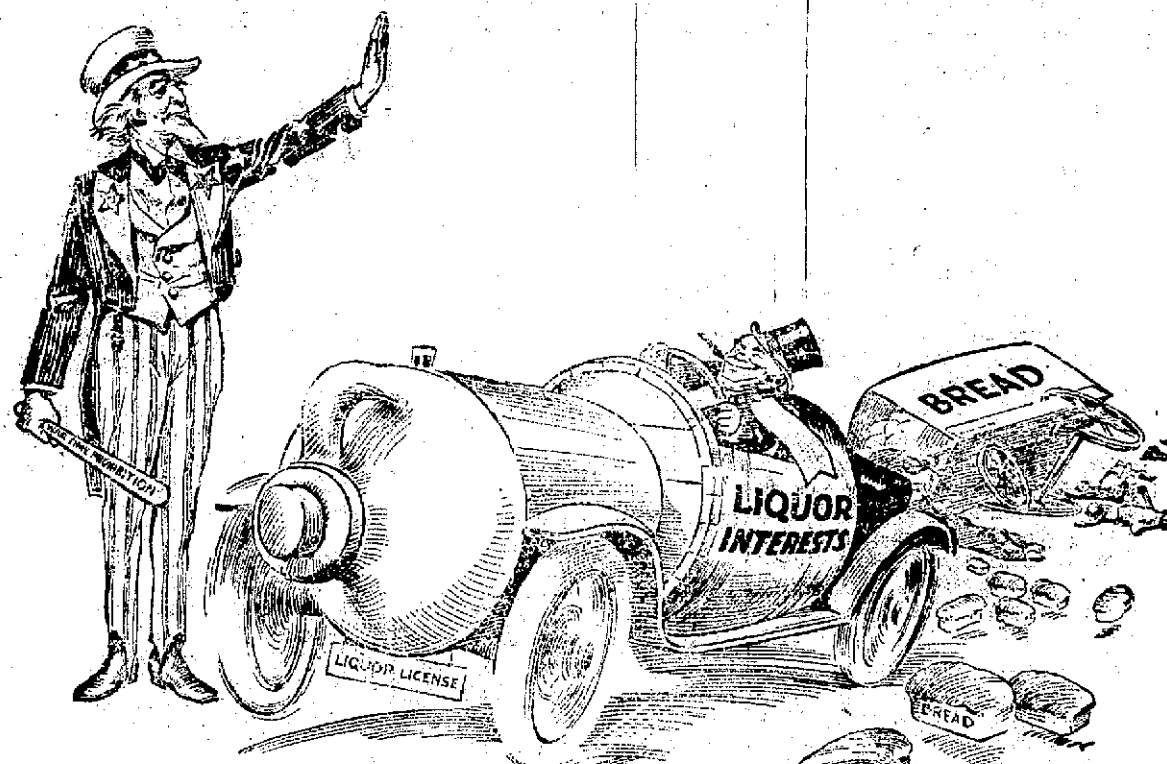
On account of the steady advance in everything that I have to use in my work it will be necessary for me to conduct my business on

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"The Joy-rider!"

All England at Work Hunting Bride For Prince of Wales

Northcliffe Press Wants No More of Foreign Blood in Royal Family and Humble Princess is Favored

WILL NOT PERMIT ALLIANCE WITH HUNS

(By United Press)
London, May 1.—(By Mail)—English society has sidetracked most other activities for the serious business of picking a bride for the Prince of Wales. The Prince himself, somewhere in France, is wooing the fortune of war, probably unaware of the concern he is giving English society.

Society's cause for concern is the fear that the Prince may follow are precedent of preceding heirs to the throne and marry a foreign princess—even a German one, for which the precedent is very recent. And society—spelled with either a small or capital "S"—isn't going to stand for anything like that. "A British queen for the British" is becoming society's motto and it has passed from whispering tea-time circles to the bold publicity of the newspaper editorial page. Conservatives and radicals alike are declaring it.

"So far as Britain is concerned the German royal matrimonial importation henceforth is a bankrupt and discredited concern, and the marriageable members of our Royal Family will be pleased to look for consorts nearer home."

This is from Northcliffe's conservative Weekly Dispatch. "We want no more foreigners in our Royal Family. It is not their fault, it is their misfortune, that they are pure German in blood, and that whenever and wherever a royal prince or princess is born it is pure German in blood. There is no British blood in our royal family. The remedy is obvious."

That from the more radical Evening Star. "English opinion, at the present time, would rather see a British prince take his wife from the chorus or the gutter than from a German royal house. And that, of course, is not the alternative."

So chimes in the Manchester Dispatch.

These newspapers and others are urging revision of the Royal Marriages Act, whereby princes of the royal line are practically compelled to marry foreign princesses. The law was passed in 1772 as the result of George III's anger at two brothers who married English ladies of far from royal rank. It has had many awkward consequences, since outside of Germany, nearly all reigning houses are Roman Catholic, with whom an alliance would be impossible for the head of the Church of England.

This causes a correspondent of the London Times to say:

"The Russian Royal Family are not barred on religious grounds but after the recent revolution it would be a blazing indiscretion for our court to bring about an alliance with them. The royal families of Italy and Belgium are barred by Roman Catholicism and the French Bourbon and Orleans princes or pretenders are equally ineligible for that reason or for the offense which would be given the French Republic."

Almost all discussions of the subject, therefore, get back to principle of a British bride for the heir apparent. As terrible examples of German al-

COURT NOTES

The case of D. H. Faulkner vs. The Freedom Oil Works company, which was called in court yesterday before Judge Whitehead following the finish of the E. D. Schwep & Co. case was settled, the oil company paying Mr. Faulkner \$1350 each side to pay its own costs. In this case the defendant was charged with selling gaso-

line in mistake for coal oil, as a result of which the plaintiff's wife and three children lost their lives in a fire which started when Mrs. Faulkner attempted to hurry the morning fire by a dash of kerosene. In his original suit Mr. Faulkner asked for \$70,000 damages. He was represented by L. D. McCall, Esq., while James A. Gleason represented the oil company.

Barbara C. Heverly filed a petition in the Probate court yesterday in which she asks for a private road from her home in Becerra township to a point in the public road at or near the line of H. C. Heverly and to pass through the land of C. W. Heverly. This road had been established and in use but had never been placed of record.

Lydia Freeman by her attorney Walter Welch, filed a petition asking for a divorce from her husband Fred Freeman.

Attorney A. L. Edwards, filed a petition in divorce on behalf of Mrs. Sara Doris Amarosa, in which she seeks a divorce from her husband, Frank Amarosa, of Osceola.

Court room visitors this morning saw the unusual spectacle of a Judge on the witness stand in his own court. This happened when Attorney W. A. Hagerty in attempting to secure title to the William Caldwell estate farm in Lumber City for Charles Caldwell who claims ownership of same, called Judge Bell to the witness stand to prove by his testimony that the claimant of the land had been in peaceable possession of the same for more than the required twenty-one years. The farm was located near Judge Bell's boyhood home. Judge Whitehead heard the case and accepted the verdict of the jury giving title to the property to Charles Caldwell following Judge Bell's testimony, he being the only witness called.

Following the Caldwell case Judge Bell excused ten jurors who were anxious to get home and held the balance of the jurors for several cases on the list for tomorrow and Friday.

The Montola Water company of Osceola, through their attorneys Bouton & Forsyth, filed their answer to the \$20,000 damage suit brought by A. R. Chase, Esq., on behalf of Mary Kenna of Osceola for the death of her husband James Kenna, he being one of the recent typhoid fever victims at Osceola. The Water company denies negligence and liability for Kenna's death and recites the fact that he was not a resident of the district supplied by the company. They also deny that the water of Minnow run entered their reservoir, and that if it did there was no pollution in it and if there was pollution in it they had no notice thereof.

Judge Whitehead concluded his labors here this morning and left for Williamsport at 4:55. The wholesale liquor license cases were continued pending the disposition of Attorney Miller's motion for an arrest of judgment in the E. D. Schwep & Co. case. A time for the hearing of argument on this motion will be fixed by Judge Bell under the rules of court and when this time is fixed Judge Whitehead will return to Clearfield and hear same. Following this the case will be finally disposed of in this

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WAR WILL NOT STOP MICHIGAN'S ROAD PLANS

Saginaw, Mich., May 23.—War won't halt Michigan's campaign for better roads. With state appropriation available as usual, plans were laid here today at the annual meeting of the State good Roads association to continue the program of highway construction and improvement on a systematic basis.

Good roads enthusiasts from all sections of the state attended the convention. Officials of the association estimated that \$1,500,000 would be spent on good roads in Michigan during 1917.

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"THE CRUCIBLE"
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See story in paper today

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mrs. Don Gingery arrived home today from a visit with friends in Westport, Conn.

Miss Lois Fegley of Grampian, spent yesterday with Miss Marjorie Cole at her home on West Front street.

C. C. Austin and son Charles left yesterday for Binghamton, N. Y. where they will make their future home. Mrs. Austin and children will leave in a few weeks.

George Reed of New Kingston, formerly of Clearfield is visiting with friends in town.

Mrs. W. J. Blakeley is visiting relatives in Grampian.

Miss Phyllis Brown of Osceola visited at the home of D. C. Barrett on Fourth street today on her way to DuBois.

Miss Mayme Langton of Curwensville spent last evening in Clearfield.

Mrs. Gurney Smith arrived home last evening from a trip to Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Chester Walker and father, Mr. Conter, of Bigler were Clearfield visitors today.

Mrs. W. E. Hoffman and two daughters of Tyrone and Mrs. L. G. Runk of Philipsburg motored to Clearfield to shop yesterday.

Mrs. J. O. Reed and daughter Mrs. Jones and Miss Ruth Snyder of Philipsburg were shoppers here yesterday.

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Judge Whitehead, of Williamsport, and Judge Bell motored to DuBois yesterday in John A. Stock's car where they transacted business.

James Sheridan of DuBois, was in town on business today.

J. N. Schoonover, president of the Moshannon National bank attended the bank meeting here yesterday.

C. G. Avery of Philipsburg, formerly cashier of the Moshannon National bank was in town on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Darr and Mr. and Mrs. George Darr motored to Clearfield Saturday evening and spent a couple days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hoyt.

Warren H. Reed of Dudley, prominent coal operator was in town on business today.

John Middleton of DuBois, attended to business at the county seat today.

Peter Reilly and M. J. Devine of DuBois were business visitors here today.

W. B. Clark of Mahaffey, cashier of the Mahaffey National bank attended to business here yesterday.

W. J. Hines of DuBois, had business in town today.

Henry Weisgerber of Luthersburg, is visiting his son Superintendent C. A. Weisgerber and family on Ogden avenue.

Mrs. S. P. Watt and Mr. and Mrs. George Kittleberger, of Curwensville, were shopping here yesterday.

J. B. McGaw of Pittsburgh, transacted business here yesterday.

Jesse Mignot of LeConte Mills is spending a few days here.

C. S. Russell, president of Curwensville National bank motored to Clearfield yesterday and attended the bank meeting.

Messrs. Kuhn, William Schopp and Kenny returned to their homes in Pittsburgh this morning after spending a few days fishing at Crystal Springs camp.

A. B. Reed left yesterday for a trip to Philadelphia.

John Habis of DuBois spent yesterday in Clearfield.

WANTS

WANTED—Delivery boy to work all day. Must be over sixteen years of age. Apply at once to A. W. Leonardson Co. Store. M-23-ttc

COOK WANTED—At once for lumber camp with 10 to 15 men. Highest wages paid. Ralph O. Smith, Sundry Ridge, Pa. M-23-3tp

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. J. Wallace Chase, 308 Nichols St. M-22-3t

BARBER WANTED—First class barber wanted at once. Call at Jas. Cross Barber shop, Market St. M-22-tf

WANTED—A teamster. Good wages and easy work. Call H. & C. phone 73-r2. M-22-4tp

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Apply P. O. Box 123, Clearfield, Pa. M-17-1wp

BOY WANTED—To learn barber trade. Apply James Cross Barber shop, Market street. M-22-tf

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay \$1.00 to \$10 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mazer, 2907 S. Fifth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. M-16-4w-pd.

FOR SALE—A grey round willow baby carriage in good condition. Inquire at Progress. M-16

FOR SALE—Team of horses and outfit. For information call H. & C. phone 22-2 or call at the residence of 1111 Dorey. M-23-2t-cg

FOR SALE—Chevrolet car, model 490 in good condition, only run 3000 miles. Cheap if sold at once. Call Progress office. M-23-Gt

FOR SALE—1914 model, 5 passenger Buick, 4 cylinder. Overhauled this spring and is in good shape. In information Box 43, Curwensville, Pa. M-19-4t-pd.

FOR SALE—One 1916 Indian motorcycle, three speed, brand new, for sale at a bargain, also one 2 passenger automobile. Address Lee Linsenbarger, Clearfield. H. & C. phone 410. M-14-ttc

FOR SALE—Five passenger, four cylinder, 1915 Cole in A1 condition. Seat covers and extra equipment. Will sell for \$600 if sold at once. Car can be seen at Central Garage or call H. J. Waters, H. & C. phone 443x3. M-18-6tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Electric light, bath and all other modern conveniences. Call H. & C. 199 x-2. M-21-4f

LOST—A brooch set with pearls. Lost on May 13 at corner of Pine or between Pine and Locust on Fourth. Valued highly as a gift. Finder kindly leave at Progress office or 323 Pine street and receive reward. M-22-2t-pd

terday in Clearfield on his way to Johnstown.

Breck Straw and son of Kermoor, were in Clearfield today on business.

RUSSIAN PREMIER PREDICTS REPUBLIC OF PEACE

New York, May 23 — Predicting that a Republic of Peace will rise in Russia after the war, Premier Lvoff of the provisional government today sent a message to the American people, through Isaac F. Marcusson, representative of Everybody's Magazine.

"The newest of democracies greets America with peculiar fervor, because it feels that the American people can readily understand what the great Russian revolution means," said Lvoff. "Autocracy in Russia is dead forever. In its stead will soon rise a Republic of Peace."

"We wish America to realize thoroughly that there can be but one result of the great upheaval, and that result a real democracy modeled along the lines of the American republic, creating a government by and for the whole people. It will mean justice and opportunity to everybody."

"The name Russia once meant darkness and oppression. It will now mean light and freedom. The New Russia will be the frankest and most liberal of republics. In New Russia the Jew and Gentile are brothers."

"We want America to know that Russia will continue the war to a peace dictated by allied victory."

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ON THE SCREEN

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Jean Fanshaw is brought up by her father as nearly like a boy as possible, with the result that, when he dies, her mother and sister, quite different from Jean, ill-treat her. They cause friends and neighbors to dislike her and eventually Jean is sentenced to the reformatory, where the riff-raff of the state are collected and among them Stella Wilkes, a notorious girl.

Jean escapes from the reformatory, and meets Craig Atwood, a young artist, who learning her sad story, advises her to go back and serve out her term. She returns and later saves the matron from assault and wins her pardon. She goes to the city but is hounded everywhere by Stella Wilkes who has sworn to "get even." Almost at the brink of despair, she again meets the artist and promises to become his wife. How the cup of happiness is snatched from her lips, how the shadow of the reformatory again looms over her and how she regains her own love, are vividly unfolded in this unusually strong photoplay.

Buried alive! That is what happens to one of the leading characters in Edison's five-part photoplay "The Heart of the Hills," scheduled at the Tent Thursday night. According to the critics who have viewed this film, that is only one of the many exciting incidents in this feature drama. "The Heart of the Hills," in which Mabel Trunnell and Conway Tearle are featured, is released through the Kleins-Edison-Selig-Essary Service.

"THE GILDED CAGE"
At The Globe Tonight
Mention a gilded cage, and someone is sure to start whistling that never-to-be-forgotten song "She's only a bird in a gilded cage." But this picture has nothing to do with the old song of which we speak. No matter what your lot may be, there is a perspective in life when you experience the feeling of a wild bird in a gilded cage. Then there is another gilded cage, and it is dollars to doughnuts that you never heard about it, or at least you never gave it much thought, and that is "The Gilded Cage" visualized in

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Hats That Were \$5.00 to \$7.00 Are Now \$3.95 to \$4.95

Readjusting our stocks brings to you the remaining stock of Spring millinery at greatly reduced prices. You will find included all the newest and most favored shapes and trimming ideas. Mostly one of a kind. Such hats as these will be worn throughout the summer so here is a millinery buying opportunity that should have the attention of every woman.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats

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All hats that were \$7.00 now marked \$4.95

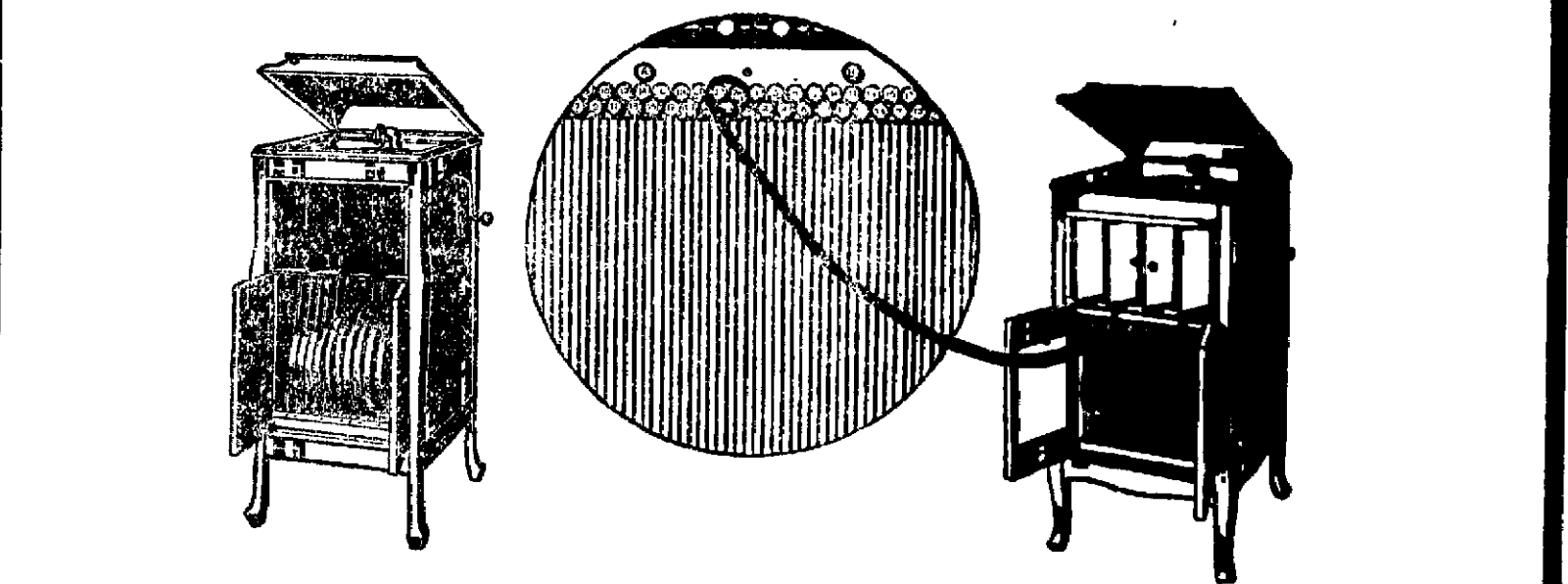
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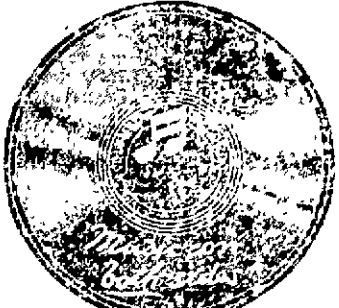
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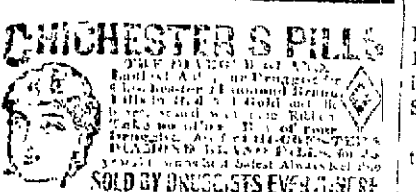
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS NO. 5 OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

No. 3117 March Term, 1917
In the matter of the Petition of
BEAVER BRANCH COAL COMPANY

For Decree of Dissolution of Said Corporation.

Notice is hereby given that BEAVER BRANCH COAL COMPANY has filed in the above court its petition for a Decree of Dissolution, and that the Court has fixed the 25th day of May, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., as the time and the said Court as the place for hearing said petition and application for dissolution, when and where all persons interested can attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

ARTHUR G. DICKSON
Solicitor for Petitioner



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